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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

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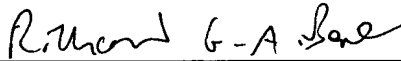
Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated November 17, 2004 be extended for a period of two month(s) from February 17, 2005 to and including April 18, 2005 (First business day after April 17, 2005).

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$450.00. Please charge the required fee to Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP Deposit Account No. 50-0310 (order no. 62788-5101). A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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